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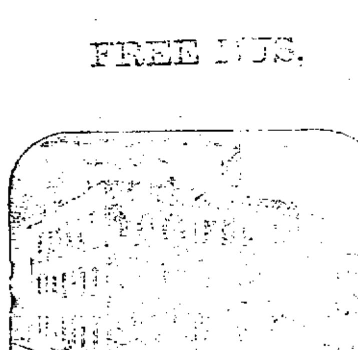

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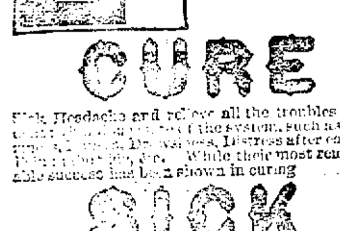

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CAPITAL CHRONICLES.

An Increase of $800,000 in the Gold Production for 1884—Senator Conger Will Not Resign.

Amendments to the Nicaragua Treaty—Two Appropriation Bills Passed by the House.

A Measure Providing for the Retirement of the Trade Dollar Introduced in the Senate.

INCREASE IN THE GOLD PRODUCTION.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The Director of the Mint is engaged in the preparation of his report on the production of gold and silver in the United States during the calendar year 1884. From returns made by the mints and assay officers it appears that a greater amount of gold was obtained from the mines of the United States in 1884 than during the previous year. During the calendar year 1884 the mints and assay officers received gold of domestic product on valued at $30,807,169, nearly $800,000 more than during the previous year. The deposits of foreign gold bullion were $11,217,309, foreign coin $6,328,022, jewelry, plate, etc., $1,899,577, and United States gold coin, $265,171; total, including redeposits, $50,516,148.

TO FORFEIT THE SIOUX CITY RAILROAD GRANT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Senator Plumb has reported favorably from the Committee on Public Lands a bill conferring on the Circuit Court of the Northern District of Iowa authority to hear cases between the United States and the State of Iowa, growing out of the grant of public lands to the State of Iowa, for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the Sioux City & St. Paul Railroad. It provides that the court shall determine what portion of the lands had been earned by the company, and whether any and how much of the land should revert to the United States. Any land found to be the property of the United States shall be part of the public domain, provided, however, that if any of the land had been purchased by actual settlers in good faith from the railroad company in an amount not to exceed 160 acres, the purchasers shall be entitled to the land on making proof of the facts to the satisfaction of the Interior Department.

AMENDMENTS TO THE NICARAGUAN TREATY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The Senate continues to devote a portion of its time daily to the consideration of the pending treaties. Senator Bayard yesterday concluded his speech against the ratification of the Nicaraguan treaty. He holds that the Clayton-Bulwer treaty is still in force. Senator Sherman has two amendments to the Nicaraguan treaty pending. One is to open negotiations with England for the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty before proceeding with the ratification of the Nicaraguan treaty; the other is to provide that there shall be no discrimination either for or against any Government in canal rates for the passage of vessels.

SENATOR CONGER WILL NOT RESIGN.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The revival of the rumor that Senator Conger will soon resign was the result of a silly story printed in a comic paper here last Sunday that the Senator or his brother would succeed Judge Cartter on the District bench. It is a canard. Senator Conger never for a moment contemplated leaving the Senate and never spoke to a living man on the subject or in regard to an appointment on the bench or elsewhere.

REGISTERING VISITORS FOR THE INAUGURATION.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The Public Comfort Committee of the Inauguration exercises report that so far accommodations for 13,447 visitors have been registered with the committee, and quarters secured for 11,508. The committee is of the opinion that ample accommodations can be furnished all applicants.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The Treasury Department reports the excess value of exports over imports of merchandise for the year ended December 31, 1884, to be $120,706,727; total value of imports, $629,237,730; preceding year, $687,066,216; decrease, 57,828,486. Values of exports, $749,303,302; preceding year, $795,209,316; decrease, $45,905,514.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The Supervising Architect of the Treasury has recommended an additional appropriation of $60,000 for the public buildings at Columbus, O., and $45,000 for the building at Des Moines, Ia. He also recommends that the limit of the appropriation for the public building at St. Louis be increased to $350,000.

HE WAS NOT A PASSENGER.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The United States Supreme Court, in considering a suit for damages brought by the widow of a postal agent who was killed by a collision on the Pennsylvania Road, decided that the deceased was in no sense a passenger under the State laws, and no question of Federal authority is involved.

NEWSPAPER POSTAGE BILL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The House Committee on Post-offices and Post Roads will favorably report a substitute for the bills pending before it relative to the reduction of newspaper postage from two cents to one cent per pound.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—In the Senate yesterday Mr. Maxey, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported favorably the bill to grant a right of way to the New Orleans & Mississippi Valley Railroad Company through the public grounds at Baton Rouge. Placed on the calendar.

Mr. Harris, from the same Committee, reported favorably a joint resolution, which passed, authorizing the loan of flags and bunting to the District Committee on the Inauguration Ceremonies.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably, with amendments, the House bill for the retirement and recoinage of the trade dollar. The vote in committee was 6 in favor to 4 against the bill. Mr. Morrill gave notice that he would call up the bill on Tuesday next.

As reported the bill provides:

That until July 1, 1885, the United States trade dollars, if not mutilated, shall be received at the office of the Treasurer of the United States in exchange for a like amount of the standard silver dollars of the United States. That trade dollars so received shall not be paid out or in any other manner issued, but at the expense of the United States shall be transmitted to the coinage mints and recoined into standard silver dollars. That trade dollars received at the coinage mints shall be regarded and treated as silver bullion, and at their bullion value shall be deducted from the amount of bullion required to be purchased and coined by the act of February 28, 1878, and shall be recoined into standard silver dollars, according to the provisions of said act; provided, that the amount to be so deducted, as provided in this section, shall not exceed $500,000 in any month. That all laws authorizing the coinage of trade dollars are repealed. That the President is authorized to renew negotiations with States of the "Latin Union" and with other foreign powers for the purpose of making treaties with them in order to secure such coöperation as may enable nations agreeing thereto to open their respective mints to the free coinage of silver, with full legal-tender power, at an agreed ratio to gold. That in case no such treaties shall be ratified prior to August 1, 1886, then so much of the act of February 28, 1878, as authorizes and directs the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase from time to time silver bullion at the market price thereof, not less than $2,000,000 worth per month or more than $4,000,000 worth per month, and cause the same to be coined to standard dollars monthly as fast as so purchased, shall be suspended.

Senator Cameron, from the Military Affairs Committee, reported favorably a bill to establish a retired list for non-commissioned officers and privates of the United States army who have served thirty years.

Mr. Dawes submitted a joint resolution authorizing the joint Committee on the Library to place a marble bust of the late Vice-President Henry Wilson over the tablet which the Senate ordered to be placed in the room in the Capitol in which he died. Agreed to.

Senator McMillan favorably reported from the Committee on Judiciary a bill to restore the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of the United States over writs of habeas corpus so as to allow appeals to be taken to that court in all cases which may be appealed to the Circuit Courts. The effect of the bill will be to allow appeals to be taken to the Supreme Court in habeas corpus cases in which the prisoner is alleged to be restrained in his liberty in violation of the Constitution or of any law or treaty of the United States. Under the present practice a single Federal Judge of the lowest judicial rank may overturn the final judgments of the highest courts of the States.

The Senate then went into executive session. At four p. m. the doors were considered open so far as to allow the presentation by Senator Hale of the conference report on the Naval Appropriation bill. The Senator said that the bill had been stripped of all new legislation, and was an itemized appropriation bill, under which the conduct of the Navy Department, its course of action, and the legislation under which it existed were not changed. Senator Beck said he was willing to surrender everything the House desired because the Naval appropriations had been exhausted, and three or four thousand persons with families to support, whose employment was not by salary but by days' wages, had been kept idle since January without any possibility of getting other employment. He hoped Congress would make some provision for those people in the Deficiency bill or elsewhere. The conference report was adopted, and when the doors reopened the Senate adjourned.

Among the confirmations made in executive session were:

H. C. Minor, Louisiana, Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Louisiana; John F. Hartranft, Pennsylvania, Collector of Customs for the District of Philadelphia; Stanford E. Chaille, Louisiana, member of the National Board of Health; Captain Almon T. Rockwell, Assistant Quartermaster, to be Quartermaster, with the rank of Major; Nelson A. Dunning, Michigan, Consul to Auckland.

HOUSE.

In the House yesterday Mr. White, of Kentucky, rising to correct the journal, demanded that the joint resolution introduced by him yesterday abolishing the office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue, be read. The Speaker stated the journal was correct, and it was not competent for the gentleman to demand the reading of the resolution. Mr. White then complained that the text of the resolution was not printed in the *Record*, and the Speaker replied that he had informed the official reporters that, under the rules, the resolution should not be printed.

The District of Columbia Appropriation bill was passed.

The morning hour was dispensed with.

Mr. White, rising to a question of privilege, offered a resolution declaring it as unjust to the official reporters of the House for the Speaker to be allowed to revise their notes in accordance with his views of the rules or of propriety. Mr. White made a speech, creating a good deal of laughter, and securing his point by reading the joint resolution, and thus insuring its printing in the *Record*. He then withdrew his resolution.

The Speaker laid before the House a communication from Mr. Chace, announcing his resignation as Representative from Rhode Island. Laid on the table.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Army Appropriation bill. A resolution was adopted providing that the cost of telegrams sent by officers of the army shall not exceed the amount paid by the Government under contract for telegrams sent to and from signal-service stations. The clause allowing the President to appoint graduates of West Point to service in the army as additional Second Lieutenants, pending the creation of a regular vacancy, was stricken out. After some minor amendments the committee arose and the bill was passed.

SHELDON ALIVE AND WELL.

Said to Have Been Kidnaped Last May, but Now Safe in England.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 28.—It is learned that Governor Crittenden a day or two ago received notice from the British Minister at Washington that Alfred Sheldon had arrived in England alive and well. Mr. Sheldon, who was a resident of this city and a member of the Blue Springs Milling Company, disappeared mysteriously on the night of May 4 last. He was said to be short $26,000 in his accounts, and one theory was that he had been kidnaped and was held until wealthy friends in England should make up the deficit. Another theory was that this was a ruse on Sheldon's part to get away. At the request of the British Government, through the State Department at Washington, Governor Crittenden took active secret measures for investigation of the case and the rescue of Sheldon if kidnapped as alleged. It is now said that on May 4, about midnight, two men came to Sheldon's house in a buggy and arrested him on a pretended warrant and took him away. They were joined by two other men, and the prisoner was carried to a place near Blue Springs and detained at a camp in the woods for several weeks, his captors meanwhile compelling him to write to his friends for money. The men demanded $25,000. At length one night a member of the gang promised secretly to release him. The man took him to a railway station near by and gave him ten dollars in money and left him. The conclusion is that Sheldon's captors were pressed so closely by the detectives that, becoming alarmed, they released their prisoner. Sheldon's wife, who remained some time in Kansas City, is now in England. Rumors have arisen from time to time in this city that Sheldon had been seen in various parts of the State in disguise, but none of them have been verified.

Albany Bids Social Adieu to Cleveland.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 28.—The reception given last night by the Fort Orange Club to President-elect Cleveland, Governor Hill, the State officials and the Legislature, was beyond question, the most distinguished social gathering ever held in Albany. The club-rooms were tastefully decorated. Over seven hundred invitations were issued, and about five hundred guests were present. The President-elect received the guests with marked cordiality as they passed through to greet him on his last public appearance in Albany.

Tom Thumb's Widow to Wed Again.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 28.—It is rumored that the widow of Tom Thumb is soon to be married again. The happy man, it is said, will be "Count Rosebud," one of the Magri brothers, who were on exhibition recently. The wedding will be of a private nature at the widow's home, after which they will go on a six months' bridal tour through Europe.

Iowa's Electoral Vote.

DES MOINES, Jan. 28.—Captain W. G. Davis, sent from Washington for the missing electoral vote of Iowa, arrived here on Sunday and found the vote was in possession of Judge Love, of the Federal Court at Keokuk, whither Davis went Monday, and secured the vote and started for Washington.

STILL UNBROKEN.

A Short Session of the Illinois House Fails to Break the Irritating Deadlock.

The Mexican Pension Resolution of the Indiana House Made to Exclude Jefferson Davis.

A High License Measure Introduced in the Wisconsin Legislature—Work of the Michigan Solons.

ILLINOIS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 28.—A brief session of the Senate was held yesterday morning and a recess taken until three o'clock, to allow, if possible, a joint session. The only business transacted was the introduction of half a dozen new bills. One, by Hamilton, proposes to abolish the State Court of Claims; one by Cochrane, changing State license for pharmacists from annual to bi-annual, and one by Morris, allowing creditors to attach property before the maturity of a debt, so as to prevent an unlawful disposition of it.

The Senate met at three o'clock and without doing anything adjourned until ten o'clock to-day.

The House met at two o'clock, Cronkrite in the Chair. A motion to adjourn until two o'clock to-day was carried.

The Democratic Senatorial caucus of the Illinois Legislature, called for Thursday evening, has been declared off, and another is called for Wednesday of next week.

WISCONSIN.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 28.—In the Senate yesterday Mr. Jonas presented a bill striking out the clause in the Revised Statutes making the failure to file an inventory invalidate the voluntary assignment.

In the Assembly, a resolution was adopted asking Congressmen to favor the bill to prohibit the importation of cheap contract labor. Mr. Pierce introduced a bill fixing a minimum cost of the retail liquor license at $500 and the wholesale at $2,000.

MICHIGAN.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 27.—In the Senate yesterday bills were introduced—amending Section 6,474 relative to jury fees; to incorporate a homeopathic medical school; making appropriations for the normal school; making appropriations for the reform school.

Mr. Hubbell's amendment to the resolution asking Congress to purchase the Portage Lake Canal was adopted. The House joint resolution, asking Congress to pass the Foran bill forbidding the importation of contract labor was passed. A resolution granting leaves of absence of committees was laid over for one day.

In the House the petition of Henry Chamberlain for a celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Michigan's admission as a State was received and a resolution was adopted providing for a joint committee of three Senators and five Representatives to consider the matter.

Bills were introduced: To provide for the compulsory education and reformation of children; to amend the act relative to sales of liquors and to prevent their sale to minors and drunkards; to regulate the use and rental of telephones in Michigan; to maintain a police and fire department in Lansing; to provide for the payment of the expenses of the Michigan Commission at New Orleans; to protect passengers on Michigan railroads; to amend the act relative to plats in towns and villages; providing for the employment of a stenographer in the Fourth Judicial Circuit; to protect the rights of laborers.

A resolution requesting the State Land Commissioners to inform the House what land remains unsold or not disposed of, and the number of acres in each county, was adopted.

INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 28.—The State Senate yesterday after considerable discussion passed the bill appropriating $613,800 for a continuance of the work on the three new insane hospitals, at Richmond, Logansport and Evansville. The Committee on Federal Relations made a report instructing the Governor to transmit to the United States Senators and Representatives from Indiana a joint resolution recommending the passage of a bill pensioning all the Mexican soldiers except Jefferson Davis, and this provoked a violent political discussion. Lieutenant-Governor Manson gave an explanation of the present status of the bill. He said he was President of the State and Vice-President of the National Association of Mexican Soldiers. He knew that Jefferson Davis, who did not need money, was very ambitious of being excluded by name from the benefits of the bill. He had written letters to members of the association asking them to recommend that the bill pass, with a special excluding clause. By making the bill exclude all persons politically disabled by the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States Jefferson Davis was excluded, and nobody else. Finally the resolution was ordered amended so as to exclude Davis without naming him.

In the House John M. Goar, of South Bend, member of the Board of Trustees, against whom charges of immorality have been publicly made, sent in a petition demanding they be investigated, and also that the conduct of Superintendent White and his two sons, whom he charges with cruelty and debauchery of inmates, be also investigated. The matter was made the special order for to-day.

Bills have been introduced in both houses extending the provisions of the Metropolitan Police law to cities of 10,000 inhabitants, which will include Terre Haute, Lafayette, Fort Wayne, New Albany and Richmond, besides Indianapolis and Evansville, which are now under such control.

DYNAMITERS DENOUNCED.

Action of Various State Legislatures Condemnatory of the London Outrages—Riddleberger Thanked.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 28.—In the Senate yesterday Thayer introduced a bill providing for the punishment of persons making, selling, offering to sell, or having in their possession any explosive compound with intent that such explosive shall be used at any place within the Commonwealth or in any foreign country for the injury or destruction of life or property. The bill further provides for the punishment of all persons aiding or abetting. The bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 28.—The House adopted a resolution, offered by Vincent Collyer, expressing abhorrence of the dynamite outrages in Great Britain.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 28.—In the House of Representatives yesterday morning a resolution was introduced condemning the recent dynamite outrages in London. It was laid over till Thursday, when there will be a large attendance of members.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—A committee of Irish-American residents of this city yesterday sent the following dispatch to United States Senator Riddleberger, of Virginia, for his speech and vote on the Bayard resolution:

"Irish-American citizens of New York welcome your speech of yesterday. They will not forget it."

Riotous Prisoners Quieted by a Girl.

HUNTINGTON, Pa., Jan. 28.—While Sheriff McAlevy was absent from the jail yesterday morning the prisoners, who are allowed the freedom of the corridors, engaged in a desperate conflict among themselves. Alexander Gray received dangerous injuries by being beaten over the head with a poker by a fellow prisoner named Tom Potter. The insurrection was quelled through the heroism of Miss Laura McAlevy, a niece of the Sheriff, who forced the quarrelsome prisoners back to their cells at the point of a revolver.

A Generous Bequest.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28.—The late Charles H. Rogers, a bank president in this city, left in trust an estate valued at $2,000,000 to build a home for infirm and aged persons.

SPLENDORS OF THE ICE-KING.

The Great Montreal Carnival Attended by Crowds of Delighted Pleasure-Seekers—Brilliantly Illuminated Palaces and Toboggan Slides.

MONTREAL, Can., Jan. 28.—The sights which the principal streets of this city present, now that the carnival is in full swing, are thoroughly unique. Turn which way one will there is a blaze of torches, colored lamps and electric lights. Around the base of the mountain at different points the illuminated toboggan slides; on the river ice the lighted boulevard; on St. Helen's Island a flaming volcano built in strange contradiction of snow and ice, belching forth its showers of rockets and other pyrotechnics. In the streets themselves are crowds of spectators watching the processions of snowshoers, two thousand of whom are in line. Crowds also fill the Victoria and Crystal rinks and the skating masquerade. The most attractive of sports to the visitors continues to be the tobogganing, and the different slides are crowded. Everywhere strangers meet with attention.

Last night the Fuque Bleue hill was formally opened with an illumination and fire-works. From its central situation this is a great favorite. It is on the Montreal lacrosse grounds, between Sherbrook and St. Catherine streets. It is partly artificial, its wooden "chute" being forty feet high and very steep, and its total length about four hundred and fifty yards.

The Victoria Skating-rink, a magnificent affair, was made brilliant last night by the masquerade, participated in by two thousand people in costume. Near by is the ice-temple, in which there is a large snow-shoe statue of Queen Victoria, which is pronounced a very good likeness. Many and varied were the sports yesterday, all hugely enjoyed, although the temperature was eight below zero.

To-night the great feature of the carnival, the attack and defense of the ice-palace will take place.

THE CHOSEN ONES.

New United States Senators Selected by Various Legislative Bodies.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 28.—Both houses of the State Legislature yesterday balloted for United States Senator. John J. Ingalls was chosen to succeed himself, receiving the entire Republican vote of both Houses—106 in the House and 37 in the Senate—besides two Democratic votes in the latter body. The Democrats in caucus were unable to agree upon a candidate, and in the House four voted for General Charles W. Blair and three for ex-Governor Glick. The latter got one vote in the Senate.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 28.—The Democrats in caucus Monday night resolved to vote solidly for one of their own party for United States Senator. The vote yesterday stood: Slater, Democrat, 35; Hirsch, Republican, 13; Johnson, 8, and a number of other Republican candidates with from 5 to 1 votes each. It requires 46 to elect.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 27.—The vote in the State Legislature yesterday for United States Senator was as follows: House—Stanford, Republican, 58; Hearst, Democrat, 2. Senate—Stanford, 30; Hearst, 16; Farley, 1; Searles, 1.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 28.—The ballot for United States Senator was taken in each House of the Legislature yesterday. In the Assembly John C. Spooner, of Hudson, received 58 votes; General E. S. Bragg, of Fond du Lac, 36 votes. In the Senate the vote was: Spooner, 18; Bragg, 12. The final vote will be taken to-morrow in joint session of both houses.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 28.—The last ballot for United States Senator yesterday stood: Dunn, 42; Berry, 39; Jones, 36; Duval, 4; Rose, 1.

Fire at the Indiana Insane Asylum.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 28.—Shortly after two o'clock a. m. yesterday a fire broke out in the engine-room of the female department of the Insane Hospital west of this city, and before the flames could be stayed they had destroyed the chapel, kitchen, bakery, engine-room, laundry, drying room, employes' sleeping apartment and the officers' dining-room. These were contained in two brick buildings in the rear of the main building, and nothing remains of them but the walls. The loss to the State will be about $85,000, and in addition the employes lose small amounts, none of which is covered by insurance. During the excitement caused by the fire some of the patients escaped from their wards. Search was immediately instituted for them, and they were recovered unhurt. None of the one thousand seven hundred patients in the institution were injured, and there was no violent outbreak among them.

The Boomers Surrender.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—General Augur, commanding the Department of the Missouri, telegraphs from Fort Leavenworth, announcing the surrender of the Oklahoma boomers. General Augur received the following dispatch yesterday:

"STILLWATER CREEK, I. T., Jan. 27.—To the Adjutant-General of the Department of the Missouri: The boomer colony has come to terms. They will leave the country for the nearest point on the Kansas line. Troops will be sent with them. The reinforcements from Coffeyville were turned back to the Kansas line when within sight of this place, on the approach of troops, and are hurrying out of the country. I will send troops to look for men coming from Wichita by way of Hunnewell. We have troops sufficient.

"HATCH, Colonel."

Murdered Her Father for Her Lover's Sake.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 28.—The report comes from Sevierville, the County seat of Sevier County, that on Sunday evening last Willis Graham, a well-to-do farmer, was shot and instantly killed by his daughter Pollie, aged sixteen, whom he had forbidden to receive the attentions of a young man named Elam Campbell. The father had been away from home and came in unexpectedly. He found Campbell and his daughter eating supper together. Graham forcibly ejected the young man, when his daughter seized a rifle and shot her father through the heart. She and Campbell disappeared and have not since been seen.

At the Bar of Justice.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Jan. 28.—The work of selecting a jury to try Wallace Waterman and Newton Shinkle, charged with stealing the body of Mrs. George McCaughey from a grave at Rochelle and shipping it to Chicago, was completed yesterday, and the taking of testimony began.

Railroad Trains Run by Telephone.

KANKAKEE, Ill., Jan. 28.—The recent heavy snows have done great damage to telegraph wires along the line of the Illinois Central Railroad. So many wires are down that trains from this place on the Bloomington division are being run by telephone.

The Chicago Election Frauds.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—In the District Court Judge Blodgett has fixed February 5 as the day for the trial of Mackin, Gallagher, Biehl and Gleason for election frauds.

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THE REVIEW

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CARPET makers will now be actively at work till the 4th of March.

IT is said that Mayor Harrison has changed his mind and will again enter the senatorial contest at Springfield.

MR. CLEVELAND says he will not appoint any of the attorneys or representatives of the great corporations to cabinet positions.

The ... wave has stopped active ... among the Dakota war ... least. They are now devoting themselves to keeping warm.

SOME of the wickedness of the New York custom house is soon to be exposed. It was generally understood that a Blaine reformer was collector at that port.

WHAT has become of the widow Bailey? The old lady was very spry ... about the 5th of November, since which time, she appears to be living in retirement.

... republicans try to throw the blame of delay in organization at Springfield on the democrats. If the democrats wont do it, why do not the republicans?

ILLINOIS will present at least two names to Mr. Cleveland for Cabinet positions, Hon. W. M. Springer for Secretary of the Interior, and Gen. J. C. Black for Secretary of War.

THE country has not heard from Dr. Gregory lately about the prospects of civil service reform under the new administration. The good Doctor probably devising ways and means for getting his Harristown and Decatur speeches suppressed.

A CINCINNATI paper is authority for the statement that one member of the civil service commission is a drunkard and a gambler. Another is known to have been a bitter partisan during the campaign. Verily the civil service needs reform.

THE legislature of Nebraska will, it is thought, pass a bill making three cents per mile the maximum rate for railroad travel in that state. The bill has been reported by the railroad committee of the house, and is pretty sure to become a law—unless a sufficient number of members are "seen" in the interest of the railroads.

THE news gatherer of the Republican says that some one should go to Springfield with a club with the stuffing out of it and bang the democrats. He is a great reformer. He never heard of a republican congress or legislature being deadlocked for weeks because they could not agree. Oh no! It is only the democrats who are wicked!

A MINNESOTA statesman thinks he has discovered a panacea for drunkenness. It is that every one addicted to the habit shall take out a license. We suppose that selling the ardent will be put on the basis of any other business, and the fellows who wish to indulge must contribute to pay the "cops" for keeping them in proper subjection.

THE shameful and disgraceful conduct of Marshal Wright, of Cincinnati, in appointing thirteen hundred vagabond deputies, and arming them with national republican committee bull dog revolvers on election day, has prompted a bill in congress to abolish the offices of deputy marshals and supervisors of election. In the light of revelations made by Mr. Springer's committee, we think the bill should pass.

Bankers' and Merchants' Mardi Gras Excursion to New Orleans.

The Illinois Central railroad will run a Bankers' and Merchants' Palace Car Excursion to New Orleans, leaving Decatur at 5:45 p. m., Tuesday, February 10, 1885. Fare for the round trip, $17 00. Return tickets good for 40 days. Tickets for New Orleans and points in Florida and Texas limited to June 1st, will also be sold for this train. His most Royal Highness, "King Rex," followed by all his loyal subjects, will parade the streets of New Orleans, Tuesday, February 17th, arrayed in gorgeous oriental costume and presenting to northern people a street scene such as cannot be witnessed anywhere in America except in New Orleans during the Mardi Gras carnival. This excursion arriving at New Orleans five days in advance of the usual Mardi Gras rush will enable every one to secure rooms and hotel accommodations at reasonable prices in desirable localities. A detour will be made to Pass Christian, Biloxi, the oldest city on the gulf coast, Beauvoir, the home of Jefferson Davis, and Mobile, the city of "Live Oaks," where are yet to be seen trenches, earth works, and other reminders of the late war. We shall do our best to furnish ample accommodations for this excursion, but must insist that applications for berths accompanied by the price of same be made to me not later than February 21. For circulars and general information apply to me at Manchester, Iowa. J. F. MERRY Gen'l West. Pass. Agt.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Springfield.

Special to the REVIEW.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 28.—The house met to-day at 2 p. m. Choisser was not present. Cronkrite was in the chair, but there was no vote on permanent speaker. He then called Representative Kimber to the chair and a motion was made to adjourn till tomorrow. It was declared carried without any attention being paid to the cries for the yeas and nays. It is confidently predicted here to-night **that the contest will end to-morrow.**

Congress.

THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, January, 28.—Several messages from the president were laid before the senate transmitting information heretofore called for regarding the landing of foreign cables in the United States, the awards of the Venzuelan mixed commission, and the status of the Oklahoma lands, which lands the president maintains cannot under existing treaties be opened for settlement. Without the transaction of other business the senate went into executive session.

THE HOUSE.

Mr. Clay, from the committee on presidential laws, reported a concurrent resolution providing that the two houses shall assemble in the hall of the house at noon on the 11th of February, 1885, pursuant to the requirements of the constitution and the laws relating to the president and vice-president of the United States, and the president of the senate shall be the presiding officer, that one person shall be appointed teller on the part of the senate, and two as tellers on the part of the house, to make the list of votes as they shall be declared that the result shall be delivered to the president of the senate, who shall announce the state vote and the persons elected to the two houses assembled as aforesaid, which shall be deemed a declaration of the persons elected president and vice president.

Bills were introduced and referred as follows:

By Mr Curtin, appropriating $25,000 for experiments with American-made steel armor for naval vessels.

By Mr Parton, to promote the efficiency of the army by the voluntary retirement of officers who entered the service during the late war.

Mr. Paige offered a resolution reciting that no official notification has been made to the house, of the resignation of J. S. Robinson, now secretary of the state of Ohio, as representative from the ninth district of Ohio, and directing the committee on elections to investigate and report upon the status of Robinson as a member of this body. Adopted.

Mr Slocum from the committee on military affairs, reported back the resolution requesting the president to transmit to the house a copy of the recent appeal of Fitz John Porter, together with the accompanying papers.

The speaker laid before the house a message from the president transmitting a communication from the secretary of the navy recommending action by the government in recognition of the services official and personal extended in Russia to the survivors of the Jeannette, and to the search parties subsequently sent to Siberia. Referred. Among the persons designated to receive special reward, Secretary Chandler mentions Governor Yakutsk and recommends that he be presented with a sword and letter from the president. The other special rewards designated are gold and silver medals and watches, and sums of money ranging from $100 to $500. The secretary also recommends that stores and provisions be distributed among the natives of three Siberian villages.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Proceedings of the Thirty-fifth Day Judge C. B. Smith, Presiding.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

People vs Daniel W. Jones—selling liquor to an inebriate. Recognizance forfeited and sci fa awarded.

People vs Harry Riley—racing and riot. Recognizance forfeited and sci fa awarded. Capias awarded.

People vs John S. Campbell and Michael McGinty—selling liquor to a miner. Nolle prosequi entered.

CHANCERY.

Bridget Carroll vs Patrick Carroll—divorce and injunction. Defendant discharged and cause stricken from the docket.

Sarah A. Betzer and Mary J. Likens vs Rebecca Betzer et al—chancery. Motion by complainant to reinstate.

Rebecca Tinkler vs Myron Tinkler—divorce. Heard by court and divorce granted.

Charles W. Seiwell vs Rufus Crossman et al—foreclosure. Report of master approved and decree.

COMMON LAW.

John Ullrich vs Lucy A. Drake—attachment. Motion for a new trial overruled. Appeal prayed and allowed. Bill of exceptions in 60 days and bond of $330 in 30 days to be approved by court.

Mt. Zion.

W. L. Taley, of Lake City, attended the revival meeting here last week........Quite a sled load of our young folks spent Friday evening at C. N. May's, about two miles west of town, and a very pleasant time was had........The recent "chilly spell" refreshed in the minds of many of our older inhabitants some wonderful experiences in the early settling of our country, and numerous miraculous adventures are related in which the last man always captures the pastry department......Mrs. J. H. Davidson was called to Casner on Sunday, on account of the serious illness of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson........Miss Ella Blalock spent Sunday with Miss Dora Biggs........J. H. Paulter returned to-day from a business trip to Edgar county ....Wm. Conn, our station agent, exchanged glances with Peoria's fair daughters on Sunday. That's right, Will, and may you soon realize the fond spirit of your daylight dreams........The Methodist quarterly meeting was held here Saturday and Sunday. M L

January 28 1885.

THE BATTLE OF MONTEREY.

The Assault Upon the Capital of New Leon, and Its Capture.

[Inter Ocean.]

In May, 1846, Gen. Taylor had crossed the Rio Grande and taken possession of the city of Matamoras. There he remained until September, when, having re-enforced, the main division of the army, under Gen. Worth, marched toward Monterey. That city, the capital of New Leon, was a strongly fortified place, and then defended by Gen. Ampudia with about 9 000 Mexican troops. The city had been very thoroughly barricaded, in expectation of an attack, from the Americans, both without and within. Strong forts with cannon commanded the roads leading into the town, and on the flat roofs of the houses were parapets of sand bags to protect the soldiery.

The first assault was made by the Americans Sept. 21, on the eastern side of the city, where, after a terrible struggle, in which many Americans were killed, the troops under Gen. Quitman captured one of the forts and turned its guns against the city. On the following day Gen. Worth's division captured the fortifications overlooking the Saltillo road, to the northwest of the city. The loss was felt by Gen. Ampudia to be such a serious one that he drew the main body of his army from the eastern part of the city to attempt to recover it, but they were met with such fierce resistance by the Americans that they rapidly retreated and intrenched themselves on the Grand Plaza, or great square of the town.

On Sept. 23 the American army forced its way into the city, Gen. Taylor entering from the east and Gen. Worth from the west. Four companies in Worth's division were armed with pick axes and crowbars. The Mexicans, from doors and windows, and from the barricades on the housetops, met them with a sweeping fire, but it was too late to check the determined assailants. They, too, sought the cellar of the houses and while the rifle companies in the rear returned the fire of the Mexicans, the pickax brigade cut its advance through the stone walls toward the heart of the city. It is not probable that there was any one at hand to check them in this proceeding, for any resistance meant death, and the frightened inhabitants were doubtless hiding anywhere they could hope for safety.

General Ampudia, on Sept. 22, had begged permission to remove the women and children from the city before assault, but Gen. Taylor refused to allow him to do so—an act which casts a dark stain on the otherwise fair fame of this gallant soldier. As the way was cut through the walls the Mexicans retreated before the advancing enemy, but when the Grand Plaza was reached they made a last but vain effort to hold its guns. The sun set that night on a conquered city and on the following morning Gen. Ampudia surrendered unconditionally. The casualties on the American side were said to be not more than 500 in killed and wounded, but the loss on the other side, though never exactly reported, was known to be much greater.

Mrs. Singerly's Gift.

[Philadelphia Telegraph.]

There is a story known only to the few which should, it seems to us, be known to the many on this day, when all that is mortal of Mrs. Mary R. Singerly is laid to rest. The story runs in this way. In the late spring, on a Sunday morning, when grass and trees and brush had put on their rarest and most delicate green, when the sky was blue, the sun bright and warm, and the birds in full feather and song, Mr. Singerly took her driving in the park, her health being then already impaired; she was overcome by the beauty of the scene, the expanse of the hill, dale, river and shore, foliage, the grass, air and sky; and in the fullness of her happiness declared it was a pity that the poor of this great city should not be attracted to the park upon their own day of rest and recreation.

"If they could only have, with all this natural beauty, the charm of music," she said to Mr. Singerly, "I know they would be tempted to come and enjoy it all and be rested and made happier by it all." The reply of Mr. Singerly was instantaneous and characteristic of his liberality. It was: "They shall have music." Mr. Singerly kept his word faithfully, although to do it he had to combat prejudice, cant and bigotry. They did have music in the park every Sunday thereafter during the summer, and it is fit that they who so enjoyed it, who were rested and made happier by it, should now know that they are indebted for it to the generous thought and tender sympathy of the good woman who will be followed to the grave by such love and regret as is given to but few to deserve or have.

Comparing Notes.

[Philadelphia Call.]

Ex Soldier—Yes, it is a very remarkable thing. I spent so many years in the field that it is now utterly impossible for me to get a good night's rest in a bed. Time and again I have got up, gone out into the back yard, wrapped myself in my blanket and slept like a top until morning.

Ex-Policeman—My case exactly. When I want a good night's rest I have to put on my old uniform and lay down on my front door step.

Boston Courier: Don't fret if you cannot get into society. The oyster is often present at a supper when he would perhaps prefer to be at home in his bed.

LORD GORDON-GORDON.

A Nobleman Who Duped America's Sharpest Railroad Kings.

[W. A. Croffut in New York World.]

Do you remember Lord Gordon-Gordon, heir of the noble house of Scotland, cousin of the Campbells, and descendant of "bold Lochinvar?" He was a low-bred knave. In Scotland he had been often "wanted" by the sheriff, but he finally stole $100,000 worth of diamonds in Edinburgh, and six months later, in 1868, made his appearance in St. Paul, Minn., as Lord Gordon-Gordon. He had $40,000 in the local bank. He presented forged letters of introduction to a few, and became the lion of the town. He won the entire confidence of John S. Loomis, land commissioner of the Northern Pacific railroad, and entered into contracts to buy several million acres of the company's land. He would go and pick it out, he said.

Loomis organized a gorgeous excursion for Milud, something like the excursion that Apollodorus planned for Cleopatra. During three months of summer the impostor traveled, feasted and hunted through Minnesota and Dakota in the style of a king, at the expense of the Northern Pacific railroad. Thirty or forty strong men served him in his retinue. Nothing was too good for him. He had two palatial tents of his own, and there, on silver and the most lovely china, were served to him such viands as would have enraptured Sam Ward or Epicurus. Fruits were brought from Mexico for him, curacoa from the Spice island, Dry Monopole from its fragrant home. His table was like Montezuma's. Loomis spent $45,000 on him that summer, and wrote to the directors. "He's the richest lord in Europe. He will invest five millions with us." Finally the splendid cavalcade wended its way back to St. Paul. He must "run down to New York a few days," he said, and hither he came and installed himself at the Fifth Avenue hotel.

Just how this Scotch Monte Cristo made Jay Gould's acquaintance I am not certain; but the great financier called on him one bright morning. He was completely captivated by his brilliant address and his picturesque conversational powers, and immediately took stock in a "wonderful scheme" which he unfolded—something about a steamship company, I think. Incredible as it seems, Jay Gould went down to his office and sent up to Lord Gordon-Gordon at the Fifth Avenue hotel three trunks full of greenbacks—no less than $150,000 in all—lent to the noble stranger without security. The N. S. packed it off to Canada and followed it himself on the next train.

Jay Gould had been badly duped. He offered a reward of $25,000 for the capture of the nameless swindler within American jurisdiction, and three or four lively Minnesotians undertook to deliver him. They went to Manitoba in a wagon, kidnapped the imposter and fled with him tied hand and foot, but they were all captured on the frontier and held as prisoners. The adventure, however, and the diplomatic row growing out of it, advertised Milud pretty extensively, and the Edinburgh authorities obtained an order for his delivery to them. The polished knave saw the officers coming and shot himself through the head. I believe Jay Gould never got any of his money back. It is about the only time he was ever taken in.

Tom Pepper's Tribute to Artemus Ward.

[Virginia (Nev.) Enterprise.]

Tom Pepper, who is known as "the peerless prevaricator of Nevada," led a Bohemian life here years ago. One day, hearing of Artemus Ward's arrival at the International hotel, in breathless haste he rushed away to interview the great humorist. He ran at once to Ward's room and, knocking, was instantly admitted.

"Artemus Ward, I believe!"

Artemus signified that the guess was a good one.

"I am delighted to meet you," cried Tom—"delighted to meet you, sir."

"And I have the pleasure of seeing?—" and the smiling Ward looked a whole line of interrogation points.

"I am—I am—that is my name is," gasped Tom—"my name is. Well, just wait a moment till I think," and Tom ran out of the room and closed the door behind him, leaving Artemus standing in the middle of the floor.

After a few moments in the hall Tom rushed back toward the astonished Ward with extended hand and glowing face, crying: "Pepper, Pepper, sir! I'm Mr. Pepper—Tom Pepper—better known as Lying Tom Pepper."

Hingston—Ward's agent—was out at the moment. Thinking he had an insane man to deal with, Artemus smiled the most cheerful smile then at his command. He declared he had often heard of Mr. Pepper, and was delighted to meet him. At the moment he was about to change his socks; would Mr. Pepper be kind enough to withdraw and call around again in half an hour. Mr. Pepper would and did.

When Mr. Hingston came in Artemus had a fearful story to tell about his adventure with a crazy man. Afterward, when Ward came to know that a sense of his greatness as a humorist had so overcome poor Tom as to cause him to forget his name, the genial lecturer declared it was the greatest compliment that had ever been paid him.

Drumming Out Deserters.

[New York Cor. Kansas City Journal.]

I was in Dr. William A. Hammond's office the other day, and I asked him about old army times. "You know I was in the regular army thirty-five years ago," he said: "At this time desertion is common in the army, I am told, but then it was followed by condign punishment. A deserter was ordered to receive thirty lashes on the bare back, well laid on, to be branded on the left cheek with the letter D, to forfeit all pay and allowances due, to have his head shaved and to be drummed out of the service ignominously. The drumming out I remember as a curious ceremony. The offender was placed between two platoons of soldiers, those behind him at charge bayonets and those in front with arms reversed and bayonets pointed close to his person. The procession, headed by a drum and fife playing the Rogue's March, paraded around the garrison and finally escorted the prisoner beyond the limits of the post. The soldiers had set some words to the air, and they generally shouted it after the culprit, as he wheeled about, he sometimes joining in.

"The odd thing about it was that as the squad sent the deserter over the lines, flogged, branded, disgraced, half naked and very uncomfortable, there was almost always a woman waiting for him in the bushes—waiting to pour oil on his wounds and fetch him a coat from somewhere. We used to watch from the fort at a drumming-out, and wonder where the woman was coming from. Presently she would arise by the side of the path, give him a hug, and they would mosey off together. It emphasized the old assertion, which has sometimes been denied, that every Jack has his Jill. By the by, I am going to put the music of the Rogue's March into one of my books, and I've had to chase all over town before I could find it. Let us hope it isn't needed as much as it used to be."

"See how plain a tail shall put you down," remarked the alligator as he swept the little darkey within easy lunching distance.

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LONGWORTH'S LUCK.

THE PECULIAR HISTORY OF THE CINCINNATI MILLIONAIRE.

The Man Who Made Cincinnati—The Peculiar Circumstance Which Sent Him to the Future Porkopolis—His Later Life.

["Halston" in New York Times.]

Coming over from Newark the other day I met a descendant of the late Nicholas Longworth, the man who made Cincinnati. The young man told me the story of how the spilling of a few casks of wine by irate Philadelphians pushed an insignificant Ohio village into consequence as a western city. Old Nicholas Longworth who, by the way was the father-in-law of the late Governor Ward, of New Jersey, was so queer that many people thought him crazy, but with all his cranky notions he was smart enough to amass an estate valued at $15,000,000. At the time of his death, in 1863, he was one of the richest men in America. He was born in Newark in 1782, and the old homestead which sheltered his youth still stands at the corner of High street and the thoroughfare bearing his name and intersecting the home lot of the Longworth farm. In early life he ran away from home and hired out to an Ohio farmer. But he soon tired of the existence on a Buckeye farm. Agriculture in Ohio reminded him too much of the New Jersey scenes he had quitted. He therefore took summary leave of his patron. When next heard from he was making wine from wild grapes. His business soon increased so that in a few years he was recognized as the leading wine manufacturer of the country. He was the first man to put Ohio wines on the market.

On one of his speculative trips he had noticed the little village laid out by Col. Ludlow in 1789. This miniature Cincinnati Ludlow had fondly hoped would loom up as a rival to staid Philadelphia. Eventually it did loom, but its first start was the result of a peculiar circumstance. In an excess of fanaticism a Quaker city mob seized a cargo of Longworth's wine, broke open the cask heads and allowed the ruby burden to flood the gutters. Nicholas Longworth wasn't the man to stand such an affront. His heart was in the magnificent industry he had reared as anxiously as a parent watches a child. He determined to have his revenge.

With a population of 1,200 souls at that time, it offered about as much inducement to investors as the average New England country town of to-day. Nicholas, as I have said, was a strong-minded, crochetty old chap. He had noticed the fine position of the Ohio town. Without further ado, carried completely away by his desire to "get square" with Philadelphia, he purchased 200 acres within the boundaries of the future Cincinnati. This area he cut up into streets and lots, built houses, and improved his purchase in all possible ways. With Nicholas went his Philadelphia wine stock. He erected warehouses in the western town and calmly turned over to its authorities half of the $20,000 remaining to him for the purpose of establishing a court house and otherwise embellishing the center of mushroom Porkopolis. In less than twelve years Cincinnati had 60,000 people around Longworth's warehouses. Real estate ran up to enormous figures for those days. Nicholas Longworth's investment of $100,000 had swollen to colossal proportions. Before he reached his 50th year he was one of the twenty millionaires of the land, and the old Philadelphia score was wiped out. In his latter days old Nicholas became careless, and his slovenly habits were famed all over the country. I am told a rather good story about him at this stage of his life. The old Astor was his favorite New York hotel. One day, after partaking of one of the meals for which the hostelery was even then famous, the millionaire perched himself out on the stone steps in the sunshine. After mopping his brow with a big red bandanna, he carelessly placed the handkerchief in his dilapidated old hat lying beside him, and then calmly went to sleep. Passing out of the hotel, a gentleman noticed what he took for a tired-out beggar, one of the fraternity frequenting every public place. He charitably dropped a coin into the old fellow's hat and others followed the example. Nicholas, in waking up, discovered the pennies. A grim smile stole over his features, and he quietly picked up the hat with its burden of pence and walked in to the clerk's desk. "Oh, ho!" quoth he, "so they took me for one of your beggars. Well, as this contribution was intended for beggars, beggars shall have it." So saying, he dragged the astonished clerk out of the hotel and up Broadway. At every turn almost some unfortunate was met, and as long as his coins lasted he wrapped them up one by one in dollar bills and distributed them. But that wasn't much for the owner of half of Cincinnati, was it?

The Boy of the Burning Deck.

[Paris Cor. Newark Advertiser.]

Few but know the very pretty piece of poetry by Mrs. Hemans, "Casabianca," commencing "The boy stood on the burning deck." The poetess states that the lad was the son of the admiral commanding the flagship L'Orient, which took fire and exploded; the young Casabianca perished in the explosion, refusing to quit the position allotted him by his father, pending the battle of the Nile. I have been looking into the official account of the incident. The admiral was Brueys, who was wounded in the head and hand early in the action. He continued to give orders until cut in two by a cannon ball; he uttered the request to be allowed to expire on deck, which he did in the course of some minutes.

Citoyen Casabianca, the father of the poetic hero, then took command; his son was a middy, but only aged 10, not 13. At that period lands entered the navy very young. Casabianca was also a deputy. Pending the action his son was by his side; the father was mortally wounded in the head by a splinter and became insensible; he gave no injunction to his son, but the latter would not the less quit his wounded parent. By this time the ship was on fire. Several of the sailors had left and saved themselves on spars till picked up by the English boats. Aided by the purser young Casabianca and his father were lowered down on a piece of a mast floating by, but they had only got a short distance from the 120-gun Orient when she blew up, and nothing more was seen of the Casabiancas.

Gen. Sherman and the Reporters.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Chatting with Gen. W. T. Sherman the other day, he said a few pretty hard things of newspaper men, though he admitted that there were exceptions. To illustrate how his kindness had been abused at times, he said: "When the dispatch came to me about the Custer massacre I called the newspaper boys all together. 'Now,' I says, 'here is the dispatch. I put you all on your honor to copy and return it to me.' Then I gave it out two pages to this one, two pages to that one, so they could all work at once. I turned my back, and whisk—Jack Robinson—the dispatch was gone. It never turned up, either, and it is in consequence absent from the place it ought to occupy in the official records."

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Luck in Business.

[New York Sun.]

Gen. Miller of California is another of the millionaire senators. Not so many years ago he was so poor as to be glad enough to accept the office of collector of the port of San Francisco. For years luck had been against him. He was a good business man, yet everything that he took hold of went by the board. Mr. Miller is a firm believer that there is such a thing as luck in business. He says that, give two men of equal business capacity, equal opportunities and energy, one will many times find that everything he touches turns to gold, while the other's touch yields clay. His own career he often instances as an illustration. One day a ship's captain called upon him at his office in the San Francisco custom house. The captain showed him the undressed skin of a seal, and said that he knew where millions of them could be obtained. He suggested to Mr. Miller that he furnish him with the means to fit up his vessel, and he would go on a seal-catching trip for a certain percentage of the profits. Mr. Miller declined to have anything to do with the project, but the captain was so persistent that Mr. Miller induced a few capitalists to subscribe a small sum.

None of them had much faith in it, and Mr. Miller says that he never went into any business scheme with less thought. Behold! the captain returned with his vessel loaded with skins, and for a good consideration he revealed the locality of the seal island. Keeping the discovery secret, the Alaska Seal company was formed, obtained the exclusive right to capture seals from the United States government, and in a few years had amassed immense fortunes. Mr Miller says that, curiously enough, every investment he has made since then has been profitable, though he exercised less care and business caution in so doing than he had in many investments before his luck changed. Mr. Miller's fortune is supposed to be $3,000,000. He lives elegantly in Washington and San Francisco, entertains a great deal, and, though a very busy man, never neglects his duties in the senate.

A Hard World for Girls.

[Inter Ocean.]

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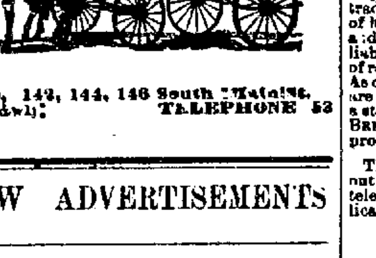

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ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

ESTATE OF THOMAS H. WADE, DEC'D.

THE undersigned, having been appointed administrators of the estate of Thomas H. Wade late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the courthouse in Decatur, at the March term, on the third Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 22d day of January, 1885.

MATTIE WADE,
FRED. HAMMAN,
Administrators.

jan29-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of David C. Kretzer, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of David C. Kretzer, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be holden at the Court House, in the City of Decatur, on the second Monday of February, A. D. 1885, being the first day of said term.

H. W. WAGGONER, Administrator.

Decatur, Ill., December 27, A. D. 1884. d29d4w

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TAX NOTICE.—I have received my books and am now ready to collect taxes. Will be in Decatur every Saturday at Millikin's bank; Prairie Hall every Friday; Dalton every Thursday, and at Mt. Zion the balance of the time.—[J. M. HUTCHISON. j15d&w1w

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FOR SALE—Lots in the Gault addition to Decatur, only seven blocks from the postoffice on high, dry ground, for sale on easy terms, by M. G. Patterson, opera house block. n1tf

FARM FOR SALE.—The northeast quarter of section 27, within half mile of the city limit of Tuscola, Douglas county. Inquire of Bundy & Woolverton, Tuscola, or G. Howell, Decatur. Ill. o21 1m

WANTED.—By V. H. Parke, custom for any kind of stock food. Hard and soft coal, are kindling &c. He guarantees good quality and full weights. Prices as low as good material can be sold for. Deliver to any part of the city. Telephone No. 55. sept26dtf

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MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } SS. Macon County Circuit Court.

Bertram Jameson vs William M. Smart—mechanic's lein No. 12,066. Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term A. D. 1884, I. John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 7th Day of February, 1885,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot twelve (12) in block fifteen (15) in the original town of Maroa, Ills., together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, January 13th, 1885.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon County, Ill.

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Solicitors for Comt.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Estate of HENRY KOSSICK, Deceased:

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been appointed administratrix with will annexed of the estate of Henry Kossick, deceased, late of the county of Macon, state of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, A. D. 1885, on the 3d Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 30th day of December, 1884.

DINA KOSSICK, Administratrix with will Annexed d31d4w

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Our trade has NEVER been better than for the last 12 months, notwithstanding the general depression in business throughout the entire country. And this extraordinary result can be traced to the fact that our stock is LARGE, varied, well assorted and complete in all appointments, that we sell goods cheap, and that the people know it.

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THE REVIEW

THURSDAY, JAN 29, 1885.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Comic opera to-night.

More "beautiful snow" yesterday.

Dry stove wood at Geo Ehrhart's. 184

Champaign county has a farmers' club.

Boys' all-wool flannel waists at B. Stine's. d6-tf

Progressive euchre is still the fashionable game.

Lard is worth almost as much per pound as butter.

Choice bulk and canned oysters at Wood Bros'. d6dw

Nice mixed candies 15c per pound at Wood Bros'. d6dw

The will of James Rinehart has been admitted to probate.

Merchants have completed their work of invoicing their goods.

All-wool red flannel drawers, at B. Stine's, 75 cents a pair. d6-tf

The penitentiary at Joliet holds men of every trade except printers.

Go and see the Wilbur Opera company this evening in Girofle-Girofla.

Sheet and pillow case or phantom skating parties are becoming all the rage.

A man's pride never shows itself in the selection of a sleigh Everything goes.

Smoke Harper's Bazar cigars, at Peck & Co.'s, 235 Opera Block. j25 d&w1w

There is no ice skating in this vicinity, owing to the recent heavy snows.

Fresh roll pies and cakes at Combs & Inman's' 136 South Main street. j25d1w

The Pekin plow works has resumed operations with a force of over a hundred men.

Girofle-Girofla at the opera house this evening by the Wilbur opera company.

Honey—pure as can be, and pure maple sugar at Peck & Co, 235 North Water street

Day board at $3 50 per week at Combs & Inman, 136 South Main street. j25d1w

The present term of circuit court is not expected to last more than a week or so longer.

The Moran and Pugh company went to Pana this morning, where they play this evening.

Gents' smoking jackets, the latest novelties for Christmas presents, at B. Stine's. d6-tf

All kinds of coal and wood at F D Caldwell's, Telephone Nos. 47 and 306 j23-tf

Novelties in gents' smoking jackets just received for Christmas presents, at B. Stine's. d6-tf

Orders for Pana coal, both lump and nut, promptly delivered by F. D Caldwell. j23dtf

George W. Ehrhart's coal yard and office is north of Shellabarger's mill, on Water street. d16 tf

Pana coal takes the lead, there is no better in this market Sold only by F D Caldwell. j23 tf

Try a load of Pana coal, there is no better in the market Sold only by F. D. Caldwell. j23 tf

There are one hundred and ten water plugs in this city, which is one more than last winter.

Dried blackberries pitted prunes and evaporated peaches and apples at Peck & Co.'s opera block

Get the best bread made in Decatur at Leffingwell's old stand, 136 South Main street. j25 d1w

REMEMBER J. W BAKER'S NEW SHOE STORE ON MERCHANT STREET, BETWEEN LYON'S GROCERY AND COLE'S DRUG STORE. j8d&wtf

A bride in a country town near Jacksonville wears her wedding finery to church every Sunday

Ralph Dodd's house near Tuscola, was burned down, together with its contents, on Monday evening

People who can avoid it do not travel on railroads now, as it is almost as uncertain as the weather.

A warrant was sworn out last evening for the arrest of H Corey, charged with assault and battery.

Geo Ehrhart can furnish you the best soft coal in town for $2.25 per ton delivered Telephone 139. j4tf

Orders for Decatur coal taken at the shaft or at Armstrong's drug store. Orders promptly filled. Terms cash. d.f

Danville is overrun with lazy tramps Twenty or more are allowed to occupy the calaboose of that city each night.

When hungry go to Crosthwait's restaurant on North Water street, and refresh the inner man. They set splendid meals

Jurymen and witnesses can secure good board at reasonable prices, at Leffingwell's old stand, 136 S. Main street d&w1w

Canned and bulk oysters and fresh celery at P. Ruebsamen & Co's at their new store next to Millikin's Bank N1—&f

Leave orders at the St. Nicholas hotel for the Citizens' baggage wagon. All calls promptly attended to. Telephone No. 45. j1d1y

Drs. Curtis, Randell and Sturgiss were present at the meeting of the pension board yesterday, and examined several applicants.

William Neidermeyer, the groceryman on Merchant street, has sold his stock of goods to Messrs. Lehman & Bolan, two young men of this city. They were busy invoicing yesterday.

John Park, aged 62, who died Tuesday was buried yesterday at Wheeler's cemetery. He had been living on East Prairie street.

St John has come and gone, but Combs & Inman are still serving the best 25 cent meal in the city at Leffingwell's old stand. d&w1w

Call and at Crosthwait's restaurant on North Water street, and carry away a good, square meal under your vest. It won't cost you much,

Jacksonville is whooping up a pavement boom, but like the one in Decatur, there seems to be more wind about it than anything else.

All trains run nearly on schedule time yesterday, except the Central due here at 5:25, which did not arrive from the north until midnight.

P. Perl is running a comfortable hack between the depot and city. Leave orders at his place or with Owen McDonald, the driver. j28d1w

The remains of a young man who died yesterday at Illiopolis, will be brought to this city to-day, and will be buried from the Catholic church.

Go to John H. Black & Son, Power's Block, for cheap boots and shoes They will be pleased to see all old customers, and offer them special low prices. j24d2t

The thermometer registered twenty-three degrees below zero yesterday morning, but towards evening it rose to four above and a good sprinkle of snow fell.

Jim Williams, who was brought here from St Elmo the other day for burglary and larceny, has pleaded guilty and been sentenced to the penitentiary for two years.

Just throw your cinders in the street, or some place where they won't obstruct the flow of the water when it starts. By all means keep them out of the gutters.

Mr. Berry Ford, a competent and popular barber and hair-dresser, has opened a shop in Blue Mound, where he will be pleased to attend to the wants of customers. d1w

REMEMBER J W. BAKER'S NEW SHOE STORE ON MERCHANT STREET, BETWEEN LYON'S GROCERY AND COLE'S DRUG STORE. j8d&wtf

Three belated trains arrived at the depot on Tuesday night, each one having five engines to pull it. There was a great hissing and puffing around there for a few moments.

The paving question is still undecided, but everybody concedes the fact that Combs & Inman makes the best bread, pies and cakes in the city at 136 South Main street. j25d1w

The other day five unclaimed victims of the Kankakee lunatic asylum fire were buried in potter's field at that city. No other ceremony than reading the Episcopal burial service was observed.

Several penitents each evening find their way to the altar at the First M. E church. Rev Coultas is an earnest worker, and his exhortations always produce a marked effect on his congregation.

An old woman who has been begging for months past in the streets of Ottawa turns out to be a fraud. She owns two farms in Grundy county, and paid for them out of the proceeds of her begging.

Andrew Murphy and Thomas McCann, who got into a dispute and afterwards had a fight over the late election, a few evenings ago, were before Squire McGorray yesterday. Both were fined.

Mathias Meidel, and Austrian, appeared in the county court yesterday and declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States by renouncing allegiance to Francis Joseph the First.

William T. Barrackman was appointed administrator of the estate of Christian J. Barrackman, deceased, in the county court yesterday. He gave bond in the sum of $1400 with Lowber Burrows as surity.

Prof. Will Smith's troupe of Swiss bell ringers, who have been in this city for several days, left last evening for Indiana, throughout which state they will give entertainments during the next few months.

The troublesome paving question has so disturbed the good voters of Jacksonville that they are about determined to drop all parties and make public improvements the issue at the coming spring election.

Many persons intend to visit the World's fair at New Orleans, but propose to kill two birds with one stone by going when the Mardi-Gras is at its height, and thus witness both of the great events at the expense of one trip.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Decatur Mutual Life and Accident Relief Association the other evening, R. W. Kabrick resigned the position of secretary to devote his entire time to the agency department.

REMEMBER J. W. BAKER'S NEW SHOE STORE ON MERCHANT STREET, BETWEEN LYON'S GROCERY AND COLE'S DRUG STORE. j8d&wtf

A good deal of trouble was occasioned last evening by the gas freezing up. In some of the stores the gloom was dispelled by the flickering light of numerous candles. Business men who used the electric light were happy.

Monday will be ground hog day. The little animal is generally considered a safe weather prophet, The old saying is that if he sees his shadow we will have six more weeks of winter weather, and if he does not we will have an early spring.

Dr. Perren, who is conducting the revival meetings at the Baptist church, is meeting with success and every evening finds seekers at the altar. He is ably assisted by Rev. Dr. Vosburgh, pastor of the church. The meetings will be continued all week.

The Tabernacle Social Club will give a dance at the tab. to night and they hope to see a good attendance of their friends. Goodman's orchestra will be present and furnish music for the dance, the grand march of which will commence at half past eight. Admission, seventy-five cents.

TIME TRIED and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good qualities of all the best cough remedies, without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly and permanently coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, incipient consumption, and all throat and lung diseases, healing the lungs. Safe and pleasant for children. Price, 50 cents and $1. Trial bottles free.

Master in Chancery Jno. A. Brown has purchased forty acres of fine pasture ground, east of this city, for a consideration of $2,000. Mr. Brown, as is well known, is a fancier of Jersey cattle, and has a number of fine animals, and it was for the use of them that he secured the pasture land.

Mr. and Mrs. N Hagerman celebrated their tin wedding anniversary at their home on West William street on Tuesday evening. A number of their friends were present and they presented their host and hostess innumerable presents. Splendid refreshments were served at a seasonable hour.

A fellow in Peoria had his wife arrested the other day for stealing forty-five dollars from him, and afterwards found the money where he had himself placed it. If he did not feel like kicking himself why some one ought to have felt that way for him, and put their feelings into execution.

On opening the door into another room at the family residence on East Wood street, on Tuesday night, Mrs R S. Bohon came to face to face with a bold, bad burglar, who was preparing to help himself to the valuables. She called to her husband, but before he reached the room the burglar unceremoniously withdrew.

Indianapolis Journal: "The venerable Thomas Harrison, anciently known as the 'boy preacher,' has been in Toronto ten weeks. In that time he has 'converted' just 1,000 souls, and the collections have aggregated $1,100. These figures are exclusive of the closing meeting, at which "quite a sum" was collected, and one woman went crazy."

The new church edifice, recently erected by the Christian and United Brethren congregations at Argenta, will be dedicated to the service of the Most High on Sunday, February 8th. The dedication was to have taken place last Sunday, but was postponed on account of the weather. Elder N. S. Haynes, of this city, will conduct the ceremonies and services.

The Paris Gazette says the compulsory education law of the state should be enforced or repealed. Was it a joke? Was it a funny thing? Was it a travesty on the "bulwark of our libraries," or was it meaningless taffy? A set of law-makers who will enact statues and make no provisions for their enforcement ought to be given a leather medal and sent home to sort white beans for the hired girl. Isn't half the stuff blowed about by educational sap-heads sheerest nonsense, anyhow?

While out with a sleighing party the other evening a well known young man felt a soft warm hand creep into his under the robes and give him an affectionate squeeze. With a feeling of indescribable joy he returned the gentle pressure, and was as happy as if he were standing before the altar with a minister all ready to tie the knot, but, imagine his disgust, when he learned that the owner of the soft, warm hand was his playful "chum," instead of the young lady he adored as he supposed.

The Springfield Monitor of yesterday contained the following item: "An important change has been made in the Wabash management which nearly concerns well-known officials, residents of this city. Jacob Johaun, who has served for years as master mechanic of the Wabash at this point, has been promoted to the position of superintendent of motive power of the middle division extending from Danville to Logansport. He will be succeeded here by Theodore Bergold, while John Dooley has been appointed general foreman."

Railroads are always in trouble Just now the managers find it well nigh impossible to keep even passenger trains running on account of the track being blockaded by snow. To run them on time is an impossibility. Pretty soon the snow will pass away and with swollen streams and rising rivers the bridges will be carried out and then there will be more grief When the company has nothing else to worry over some one sues them for several thousand dollars for something they couldn't help, and thus it goes. Uneasy rests the monopolist who manipulates a railroad.

Tramps are always up to "snuff," so to speak, and although they are always protesting their willingness to work when "bumming" a meal, it is very few of them who will sail in and do a couple of hours hard labor. Just now the snow is the worst enemy they have. If they go to a house to beg a meal and get off their "willingness to work" story, they are generally presented with a shovel and told to clean the walk, while the hired girl spreads the table, gets out the silver ware and prepares their breakfast, in a style fitting their exalted position. When thus caught in their own trap it is work or go hungry, but now it is said the tramp has overcome this snow difficulty by a very simple trick. Before calling to beg for food he carefully bandages his arm and places it in a sling and has a pitiful story to tell of how he was hurt, and how much pain his arm causes him. He not only escapes the work but finds the injured arm gag a good one to work on sympathetic and tender hearted people.

MARRIED AT CHICAGO.

Mr. Boyd Braden and Mrs. Mittie B Redgrave Made Man and Wife.

On Tuesday evening, January 27, the wedding of Mr. Boyd Braden, of Decatur, and Mrs. Mittie B. Redgrave, of Chicago, took place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs Lucy Burdick, of No. 2436 Wabash Avenue, in that city, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

The groom is the well known passenger agent of the Northern Pacific railroad, while the bride, an estimable lady of Chicago, is the daughter of the late Hon. Oliver Burdick, for many years a prominent man in public affairs in Michigan. Mr Braden is fortunate in securing the hand of a lady combining so many charms of mind and person, and one so worthy the esteem in which she is universally held.

The good wishes of the assembled guests were manifest in the generous array of presents, that were both numerous and costly.

The happy couple arrived from Chicago over the Wabash yesterday, and will be "at home" to their friends hereafter at No. 517 North Water street, where they will go to housekeeping at once.

An informal reception was tendered the couple last evening by Miss Lissie Braden, daughter of the groom at his home. Among those present to tender congratulations were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Starr, Mrs. Frank Payne, Mr and Mrs, John Smith, Mrs Lindermood, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bower, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Dennison, Miss May McNeill, Mrs J B McDonald, Miss Annie McDonald, J hn Braden, of Carthage, and John McDonald Refreshments were served and all went "merry as a marriage bell." Mr. and Mrs. Braden's friends most heartily wish them a happy and prosperous life in their new relation, but none more so than the REVIEW.

A New Bill.

State Senator Bell, of Peoria, has introduced a bill in the legislature to consolidate the management of the state charitable institutions and the reform school. The bill is practically the same as introduced by the same senator two years ago, and came within two votes of passing It provides that all the charitable institutions of the state shall be managed by a state board of three, to be elected by the people, instead of by a board of three trustees for each institution, as at present. It abolishes thirty five appointed offices and substitutes 3 elective offices instead It proceeds upon the theory that, to place these institutions in the hands of 3 men, that they will and must devote their whole time to their work, and will be more efficient officers, and will conduct those institutions on more business-like principles, and much more economically administered. It also decreases executive patronage and elevates the power of the people.

The Tinkler Divorce Case.

The case of Mrs. Rebecca Tinkler, asking for a divorce from Myron Tinkler, came up and was disposed of in the circuit court yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a good many spectators. Attorneys Bunn and Parke appeared for the defendant and I. A. Buckingham, esq., and David Hutchison for the plaintiff The cause for action, it will be remembered, grows out of the bloody affray at the Tinkler residence about a year ago between Tinkler and his brother in-law, Cartmell, of Kansas City, together with other incidents that had previously transpired to mar their domestic felicity. Mrs Tinkler was granted a divorce and given charge of the three children. She is to retain the family home by paying Tinkler three hundred dollars within four months, and he is to be permitted to see the children when he desires.

Heavy Fines.

The city cases against Lizzie Hart for keeping a bawdy house and J. Jarrett for keeping an assignation house were concluded before Squire Curtis yesterday afternoon. City Attorney Mills conducted the prosecution and D. C. Corley appeared for the defense. The room was filled with a gang of men and boys, who were evidently delighted with the filthy, low-down, disgusting character of the evidence. Both of the accused were found guilty and were fined twenty-five dollars and costs each. In default of payment they were sent to jail.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad makes a handsome display of agricultural products from the famous northwest along the line of this road at the New Orleans Exposition. The exhibits are chiefly from the territory of Dakota, with splendid samples from Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Illinois. All who have visited the exposition and seen this display, commend it highly and those intending to visit the exposition should make it a part of their trip to see what the C. M. and St. P. road has done towards making the World's fair the grand success that it is.

The soliciting committee for the county and city, to-gether with the citizens interested in securing the state fair, held a meeting in the council room last evening to talk over matters and things relating to the project. It was decided to endeavor to secure a meeting of the board of supervisors at the earliest possible moment, in order to learn what encouragement they could and would give. The application for the state fair, will we understand have to be filed with the state board by the first of February, which is now only a few days distant, and its location will be decided upon on the 10th. No bonus is required further than the improvement of the grounds to accommodate the big show, and this will require an outlay of several thousand dollars, which will be raised by subscriptions.

PERSONAL.

W H Long, of Maroa, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs Dr Cullimore, of Jacksonville, is visiting in this city.

Samuel Parrett, of Sullivan, was in the city yesterday on business.

Laura Dainty and her company were entertained at the New Deming,

Charlie Hildebrand accompanied Will and Lute Shellabarger to New Orleans.

Mr. Holman presented the conference report on the six month naval appropriation bill. Agreed to.

G. W. Mize, of the REVIEW, left yesterday afternoon for a visit to his parents at Newtonia, Mo. He will be absent several weeks.

D. K, Wilson and Warren Wilkinson, of Argenta, are viewing the sights at the World's Fair and Cotton Exposition at New Orleans.

Archie McNeil, the Wabash engineer who had his leg broken in a wreck the other day, has an accident policy and will draw $20 a week while he is laid up.

J. P. Faris and Jesse Lockhart, of Niantic, are at home from the New Orleans exposition. They speak in glowing terms of the good times they had, and of the exposition generally.

Mr. Cox, of North Carolina, presented the credentials of J. W. Reed as member-elect from the Fifth district of North Carolina, to succeed A M Scales, and Reed took the oath of office.

Nick B Roberts, advance agent of the "Monte Christo" company that will appear at the opera house next week, was in the city yesterday a guest at the St. Nicholas Roberts is a well-known showman, having for a number of years a good pantomime company on the road under his name and management.

Died.

Mrs Dorothy Bills died at the home of her son in this city yesterday morning at seven o'clock at the advanced age of eighty-five years. The deceased has only been failing for a few weeks, having been in good health up till the time she was taken ill, five weeks ago. She was the mother of Dr. Bills, B G. Bills, of Woonsocket, Dakota, and Dr. George H. Bills, of Chicago.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Christian J. Barrackman, deceased.

THE undersigned having been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Christian J. Barrackman, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County at the court house in Decatur, at the March term, on the third Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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OTHER FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—In some respects the panic produced by Saturday's events has really increased. Fears were entertained Monday that the dynamiters meditated an attack upon the National arsenals and naval stations, and they were placed under special watch. At Chatham Dock Yard police were kept afloat during the entire night.

Yesterday instructions were issued to put a stop to all ingress at the Tower, the House of Commons and Westminster Hall. Even the members and Peers are refused admission. Entrance to the palace yard has been closed, and all the public doors of the Parliament Buildings, and a barricade has been thrown across the hall at the top of the staircase.

The work of removing the debris in the White Tower was completed yesterday. The hole made in the floor where the dynamite exploded is ten feet long by five feet wide. The masonry of the building was found to be practically uninjured, but much of the solid oak woodwork was torn or split.

Various Irish National League meetings have been held throughout Ireland and resolutions have been adopted denouncing the dynamiters in the strongest terms.

The general impression here is that the explosions on Saturday have more seriously agitated America and Europe than England, and more especially London, where people are now familiarized with them, and treat them with more or less contempt. In the Fleet street discussion-rooms, where current topics are nightly alluded to, the explosions themselves are scarcely mentioned, but the vigorous action of the United States in reference to dynamitards is warmly applauded.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Sir Stafford Northcote, in a speech at Exeter yesterday, said that England was breathlessly awaiting news from the Soudan. He himself had every desire to assist the Government in its difficult task, and had given it frequent warnings against pursuing its disastrous Egyptian policy. Sir Stafford continued: "The silence and mystery of the Government must not be longer tolerated, and must no longer allow our soldiers to be shut up and isolated."

General Wolseley reports the expedition has started on Saturday from Hamdab by way of Abu Hamed for Berber, under the leadership of General Earle, is making good progress and has not yet been disturbed.

CAIRO, Jan. 28.—Sir Evlyn Baring has a dispatch from General Wolseley expressing the belief that General Stewart and his troops arrived safely at Metemneh on Monday.

PARIS, Jan. 28.—General Brière de l'Isle has notified the Government that all preparations for concerted action among the different bodies of French troops in Tonquin are completed. An order for a general movement toward the occupation of the entire country is hourly awaited.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—In the Court of Appeal yesterday a decision was handed down in the case of Charles Bradlaugh, on his appeal from the decision of the Divisional Court refusing him a new trial in the case which the Government won against him for taking his seat in the House of Commons without taking the oath. The Court of Appeal decides that Bradlaugh has the right of appeal. The decision, in effect, is an order for a new trial.

A HEROIC FIGHT.

Desperate Battle of a Huntington (Ind.) Official with Four Burglars—One Rascal Killed, and the Brave Assailant Fatally Wounded.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 28.—Huntington, Ind., was horrified at a double shooting which occurred there early yesterday, which resulted in the death of a burglar and the probable death of Night Marshal Max Baumgartner. About two o'clock yesterday morning the Marshal observed four men acting in a mysterious manner about the post-office. He became suspicious of their actions and hid himself while he watched their movements. They proceeded to force the door of the post-office, and before the officer could summon help had gained entrance. Baumgartner at once confronted them. They were all strangers to him. The Marshal ordered them to surrender, at the same time drawing a revolver. Seeing one of the men about to draw a weapon, he fired, the ball going through the criminal's body, killing him instantly. Before the officer could defend himself one of the others ran behind and shot him in the back. The brave officer fell to the floor, it is thought mortally wounded. The burglars did not stop to rifle the office, but at once ran away. They found a horse and sleigh in the street, which they stole and drove hurriedly from the town. They have not yet been captured. The dead burglar was left where he fell by his companions, and his body was taken charge of by the authorities. As soon as help could arrive Baumgartner was taken to his home, where he is being cared for. But little hope is expressed for his recovery.

A County Treasurer's Shortage Causes His Failure in Business.

EASTON, Pa., Jan. 28.—The failure of Samuel Kintz, a produce dealer at Stroudsburg, has just been announced. His liabilities are $30,000. Kintz was the Treasurer of Monroe County for the last three years. The Auditor on Saturday discovered him short between $7,000 and $9,000. His bondsmen levied upon his store and property for $8,000. Several of Kintz's creditors on Monday increased the attachment to $14,000.

Out of the Frying-Pan Into the Fire.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 28.—Ex-Governor Franklin J. Moses, of South Carolina, upon being released from prison Tuesday in this city, was rearrested on the charge of swindling Colonel T. W. Higginson and other Bostonians, and professors in Harvard University.

Severity of the Weather in Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 28.—Horses and cattle perished by thousands during the storms that prevailed recently in Eastern Oregon and Washington Territory. A large number of people were also frozen to death, and many others are still missing.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Diphtheria has within five weeks swept off twenty-five children at Fullerton, Neb.

Joseph Bachman & Son, New York jewelers, have failed. The preferences amount to $35,000.

In the Nebraska House, the Committee on Railroads has decided to report a three cent rate bill.

Mrs. Mary Griffith, aged ninety-two, aunt of General U. S. Grant, died Tuesday morning at Batavia, O.

The run on the New Haven Savings Bank closed Tuesday at noon, after $250,000 had been paid out.

The Union Rolling Mills at Cleveland, O., will resume operations next Monday with double turn in some departments.

It is reported that the Edgar Thomson steel-works at Braddock, Pa., are about to resume operations with several thousand men.

Con Murphy, a native of Illinois, was hanged Tuesday near Helena, M. T., by the Committee of Safety. He was a notorious desperado and horse thief.

It is reported that an explosion occurred Tuesday on the steamer Michigan, which is caught in the ice off Grand Haven, and that two men were killed.

Two men fought about a widow with knives and pistols at Levis, P. Q. One was mortally injured, his antagonist escaping, however, with a few slight cuts.

The Missouri House of Representatives adopted a resolution petitioning Congress to open Oklahoma to settlement. The Kansas Legislature has taken similar action.

John Gilbert, aged twenty-three, graduate of the College of Pharmacy of New York, and member of a highly connected family in the Empire State, was convicted of forgery Tuesday at Baltimore.

In an address to the American public, Chief Engineer Melville expresses the belief that a successful voyage to the North Pole can be made by way of Franz Josef Land, and that the time is ripe for the attempt.

Leonhardt's morocco factory at Brooklyn was burned Tuesday, the loss being $100,000. At Fulton, N. Y., four or five stores were destroyed, an explosion of gunpowder aiding the fire, resulting in a loss of $15,000.

On the Board of Directors elected Tuesday by the Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railroad are James G. Blaine, William H. Barnum, Stephen B. Elkins and Arthur P. Gorman. Henry G. Davis was elected President.

There is a remarkable religious revival now in progress in the villages in the neighborhood of Reading, Pa. Many hotels have stopped selling liquor in consequence of the many recruits to the temperance cause.

President Taylor and several other leading Mormons have returned to Salt Lake from an inspection of the church colonies in Arizona and New Mexico. Missionaries have for several years been at work among the Indians of Northern Arizona.

A famous outlaw, named Nicholas Aragon, was captured Tuesday near Chaperito, N. M., after he had killed a Deputy Sheriff. Before Aragon would surrender, a messenger was sent to Las Vegas for giant powder to blow up his hut. He is likely to be lynched when brought to jail.

At the base-ball conference Tuesday at Pittsburgh, Mr. Lucas, of St. Louis, was admitted to the National League. A resolution was adopted, asking permission of the National League to place an American Association club in Chicago or in any other city in which a league club exists.

Destitution in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—It is believed by good judges that there are 35,000 unemployed men in this city. The Relief and Aid Society report that nearly all applicants prove to be deserving, as most of them only ask for charity after exhausting their property and credit. Nearly four thousand families are drawing relief from the County Agent.

His Widow Gets All But Six Dollars.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—The will of William H. Wells, former Superintendent of the City Schools, which was yesterday filed for record in the Probate Court, leaves one dollar each to six children, and gives the remainder of his estate to the widow.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Provisions.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.

FLOUR—Quiet. Winter, $4.00@4.75; Spring, $3.00@3.75; low grades, $1.75@2.50; Patents, $4.37½@5.25; Rye Flour, $3.00@4.00.

WHEAT—Weaker under larger offerings. No. 2 Spring, 78½@78⅝c; No. 3, 69@70c; No. 2 Red, 81@81½c; No. 3 Red, 70@75c; No. 2 Spring, February, 78½@79⅛c; May, 84¾@85¼c.

CORN—Prices easier. No. 2 quotable at 37⅝@37⅞c for cash, January, and February; 37⅝@37¾c for March; 40⅝@41⅛c for May. Other grades quiet.

OATS—Prices steady. No. 2 quotable at 28c for cash; 27⅞@28c for January; 28@28⅛c for February; 28⅛@28¼c for March, and 31@31¼c for May; No. 3 quiet.

RYE—Weaker and in less demand. Cash, 62½c for light edge No. 2; 62c for January and February; 62½c for March; 63½c for April, and 65c for May.

BARLEY—Choice bright was moderate sale, but common was dull. No. 2, cash, nominal at about 65c; samples 48@70c for common to fancy.

MESS PORK—Fairly active and prices higher. Quotations ranged at $12.25@12.30 for cash and January; $12.27½@12.35 for February; $12.35@12.45 for March and $12.57½@12.70 for May.

LARD—Prices higher. Quotations ranged at $6.85@6.87½ for cash and January; $6.87½@6.90 for February; $6.95@7.00 for March, and $7.15@7.17½ for May.

BUTTER—Market firm. Creamery, good to choice, 27@32c; dairy choice to fancy, 18@25c.

CHEESE—Market quiet. Full Cream Cheddar, 11@12c; Skimmed Cheddar, 2@8c.

EGGS—Firm. Sales were made at 25@26c for fresh lots.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.

FLOUR—Dull, heavy and lower.

WHEAT—¼@½c lower, heavy and very unsettled. No. 1 White, nominal; No. 2 Red February, 90⅝@91c; March, 92@92⅝c; April, 93⅝@94c; May, 95⅛@95¼c; June, 95⅛@95¾c.

CORN—Lower and dull. Mixed Western spot, 52@55½; futures, 49½@52½c.

OATS—Without decided change. Western, 36@40c.

PROVISIONS—Beef quiet and easy: New Extra Mess, $11.00@11.50. Pork quiet and steady; New Mess, $13.25@13.50. Lard higher and firm; Steam, $7.22½.

BUTTER—Firmer. Western, 10@35c.

CHEESE—Dull at 1@13½c.

EGGS—Western dull at 30½@31c.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 27.

FLOUR—Quiet. Michigan Winter Wheat, $3.95@4.00; roller process, $4.25@4.50; patents, $5.25; Minnesota patents, $5.50@5.75.

WHEAT—Dull but steady. No. 1 White cash and February, 87c; March, 88¼c bid; May, 92c; No. 2 Red cash and February, 87c; March, 88½c; May, 92c.

CORN—No 2 cash, 44c.

OATS—No. 2 White, 33½c; No. 2, 31½c.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 27.

WHEAT—Weak. No. 2 January, 86c asked; February, 86c; March, 81¼c bid; May, 84½@84¾c; No. 2 Soft, 87c asked.

CORN—Easy. No. 2 cash, 42½c; January, 42½c bid; February, 41¾c bid; May, 42¾c bid; No. 2 Yellow, 43½c.

OATS—Dull. No. 2, 31c asked.

RYE—No. 2, 65c bid.

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 27.

CORN—Active and firm. New High Mixed, 40@40½c; New No. 2 Mixed, 39½@40½c.

OATS—Active and firm; No. 2, White, 31@31½c; No. 2 Mixed, no sales.

RYE—Scarce and firm. No. 2, 67½c.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.

CATTLE—Market only moderately active and prices easy. Quotations are as follows: Native shipping Steers, $4.25@5.35 for poor to fair, and $5.50@6.50 for good to prime; Cows, $2.25@3.75; Bulls, $2.50@3.00; Butchers Steers, $4.00@4.50; Stockers and Feeders, $2.75@4.50.

HOGS—Market active and firm, and prices advanced 5@15c on heavy and 5@10c on mixed and light lots. Sales ranged at $4.40@4.75 for light; $4.40@4.60 for rough packing, and $4.65@5.05 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 27.

CATTLE—Good grades steady; others quiet; exports, $5.40@5.60; good to choice shipping, $5.00@5.35; common to medium, $4.50@4.90; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.25; cows, $2.50@3.40.

HOGS—Firmer; 5@10c higher; lots, $4.05@4.60; mainly $4.35@4.45.

SHEEP—Steady at $2.50@3.25 for fair to good muttons.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Jan. 27.

CATTLE—Slow; unchanged.

HOGS—Firm; Philadelphias, $4.90@5.00; Yorkers, $4.65@4.80.

SHEEP—Slow and unchanged.

Rev. W. Beecher, 66 Park avenue, Chicago, says of Athlophoros: "I have used the great rheumatic and neuralgia cure enough to satisfy me that it will cure neuralgia, sciatica and inflammatory rheumatism. I recommend my friends to try it."

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"So Near, and Yet So Far!"

BY ALISON.

Adam said nothing—it was not for him to praise the beauty of his own wife. And Maud, looking at Bertha Wilde, ceased to wonder that Adam had so soon forgotten her. She felt how different she must look from this radiant vision, with her sorrowful, haggard face, her long black clinging gown, the set smile which would keep fading away, though she tried so hard to retain it on her stiff lips; but Adam never looked at her—he was too much occupied with looking at his wife.

"I shall see a great deal of you," Bertie said, releasing her friend from the clasp of her little dimpled hands at last. "I shall run up to you when I feel bored by those great ladies downstairs. Not that they don't make much of me!" she added, laughing. "And as for the men, there are a crowd of them round me always. I think I amuse them, you know. I always say just what I think, and it makes them laugh. Come, Adam, I think it is time to go back to the drawing room."

Adam left the dowager's chair, whether reluctantly or not did not appear.

"You keep your husband in order, I see," the dowager laughed, nodding her head. "Good-by, Adam; I am sorry to see you are not to be trusted."

They left the room together, Bertie slipping her hand under her husband's black coat sleeve, and chattering away about some trifle that had been said to her at dinner, her long pink satin train sweeping behind her over the carpet.

"I don't like her," the dowager said, looking after them. "She's not pur sang."

CHAPTER VI.

"'By my troth, Nerissa, my little body is a-weary of this great world!'"

A burst of laughter in various musical trebles. Marion Lisle looked over the edge of the Shakespeare in her hand with some surprise in her indolent violet eyes.

"Well, girls, what are you laughing at? I thought we had come to scene the second—'Belmont; a room in Portia's house. Enter Portia and Nerissa.'"

"It was the way you read the speech that made us laugh," said Addie Hepburn.

"I read it exactly as it stands—word for word. 'By my troth, Nerissa—'"

"My dear Marion, that will never do," Lady Vigors said, shrugging her shoulders; "you must not read in that sing-song way, as if you were trying to send us all to sleep. You must throw some energy into your voice—Portia was a very energetic young person."

"But I am not energetic," Miss Lisle said placidly.

"You must try to seem energetic. If Portia is not lively, she is nothing."

"I told you the part did not suit me," Miss Lisle remarked, yawning. "It was awfully good-natured of me to undertake it, because I never cared about Shakespeare, and don't understand a word I'm reading."

"You need not tell us that," said Addie Hepburn, laughing.

"Because you won't give your mind to it," Mrs. Vandeleur remarked, looking up from her crewels.

"Her mind," Addie Hepburn laughed impatiently.

"Go on again, Marion; it's too bad if you allow all our fun to fall through because you won't exert yourself a little."

Miss Lisle went on again, Mrs. Adam Wilde chiming in in a rather pert childish voice, which however suited her part better than Miss Lisle's lazy drawl suited hers. The other ladies listened, lounging about the fire and the great octagonal ottoman just before the fire. It was a wild blustering December afternoon, and the glow of the wood-fire was pleasant, and the sight of it pleasanter than the leaden skies and bare woods and melancholy swirl of dead leaves, which was all that could be seen from the windows. Somebody had raised the question as to how the afternoon was to be spent, and Lady Vigors had suggested a Shakespearean reading. The suggestion had given rise to a great deal of animated discussion, and to an amusing distribution of characters, it being unanimously resolved that the reading this afternoon was to be only a rehearsal for a much more finished performance in which the various gentlemen staying in the house—but now out hunting—were to take part. The arrangement of the programme had been the cause of so much amusement to her guests that Lady Vigors was quite pleased with herself for having offered the suggestion, it being rather difficult to find diversion for seven or eight feminine visitors when confined to the house for a whole afternoon, especially such a dull depressing afternoon as this.

So the reading went on, while the flame of the burning wood leaped and sparkled and danced, and Mrs. Vandeleur stitched away at her crewel-work, and old Lady Scott and the dowager tried to talk to each other—for the dowager had condescended to join the party on old Lady Scott's account, who had been a friend and contemporary of her own; and the winter wind blustered and beat the bare trees out of doors, and howled dismally round the great substantial old-fashioned house. But Addie Hepburn's patience came to an end long before the roll of Portia's suitors.

"Oh, this is wretched!" she exclaimed. "This will never do! Such a dead-and-alive Portia will spoil everything! My dear Marion—in truth I know it is a sin to be a mocker—but this is how you read;" and she gave a description of Portia's German lover in a voice so exactly the counterpart of Miss Lisle's that even Marion herself began to laugh.

"I never coveted the part," she said good-humoredly; "I took it only because none of the rest of you seemed to care about it."

"It is so long and trying," Lady Vigors put in dubiously.

"I don't know why you don't take it yourself, Addie; it would suit you better than Jessica."

Lady Vigors looked at her sister laughingly; Addie did not seem to care about changing her part.

"But, if I am Portia, who will be Jessica?" she asked.

"Why can't Mrs. Vandeleur be Jessica?" Marion suggested.

"Oh, no," little Mrs. Vandeleur said hurriedly. "I couldn't read before a roomful of people! I should be sure to break down in the middle of it and spoil everything. Please don't ask me."

"Certainly not, if you don't wish to do it," Flossie Vigors promised.

"But Jessica's part is so short," said Miss Lisle.

"Indeed I could not attempt it," the Honorable Mrs. Vandeleur persisted, shaking her head. "Why don't you take it instead of Portia?"

"Addie won't give up being Jessica to Captain Huntroyd's Lorenzo," Lady Vigors said, with a laughing glance at her sister. "There is no use in trying to persuade her—she wouldn't let anybody else read that part, least of all Marion Lisle!"

"She need not be jealous of me," Miss Lisle said lazily. "Captain Huntroyd and I are too old friends ever to fall in love with each other."

She spoke jestingly, and Addie Hepburn laughed, too confident of her own charms, and perhaps of Charlie Huntroyd, to resent her sister's speech.

"I think it will end by your being obliged to take the part yourself, Floss."

"Indeed I shall do no such thing; it is much too long and tiring, and I am suffering from relaxed throat this moment. It will be quite enough if I act as prompter—you will all want prompting, I dare say, though you will have the books in your hands. You are certain to lose your places, listening to each other."

"Then I am afraid we must give it up," Addie said, sighing.

"I know somebody who can read well, and would look the part to perfection," little Mrs. Vandeleur said, looking up from her silken passion-flower. "She is as like Miss Ellen Terry as it is possible for one face to be like another."

"I know whom you mean," Lady Vigors answered at once—"Miss Kent."

"Yes, I mean Miss Kent. Did the resemblance ever strike you before?"

"One could not look at her without being struck by it."

For some reason or other Floss Vigors hesitated. She liked Miss Kent, she knew her history, she treated her invariably with kindness, even with friendliness; but it would not do to set the girl up in the midst of her visitors, and give her the leading part in this performance. She was her mother-in-law's paid companion, and some of her friends, who did not know Maud Kent might think it an odd thing to do.

"She would make a capital Portia," she said, doubtfully. "But I am not sure that she would like it."

"Oh, do let her try it!" all the rest said eagerly—all but Bertie Wilde. "It would be such a pity to give up the play. And The Merchant of Venice is the most amusing of all for a mere reading; but it is so hard to get a good Portia—and yet the whole interest of the thing depends upon her."

"You can't bear the idea of giving up Jessica," Floss Vigors said, with an indulgent smile at her pretty little dark-eyed sister. "Do you think you could read Portia, Mrs. Wilde?"

Her keen eyes had detected Bertie's unwillingness to have Miss Kent put forward, and she thought she guessed the reason why. It was not the real reason, though Bertie might have been "snobbish" enough to wish to exclude the dowager's companion from her society; but it made Flossie's tone very chillingly polite.

"I could try," Bertie said, who would have given anything to feel that she was equal to the principal part.

"Oh, no, you'd never do!" Addie Hepburn exclaimed, brusquely. "You are a first-rate Nerissa," she added, apologetically—Bertie did not perceive the irony which lay under the compliment. "But you wouldn't do for Portia at all. We must have Miss Kent, Flossie; I'm sure the dowager won't have the least objection. She's awfully nice," she observed, turning to Marion Lisle. "Just as well-born as any of us, and a great deal better bred than some. And she has one of the sweetest faces you ever saw in your life."

Miss Lisle had not been long at Beaudesert, or she would have been able to judge of Miss Kent's looks for herself. Bertie, who heard every word, felt angry and uncomfortable, she scarcely knew why. She played with her golden bangles, turning them round and round on her plump white wrists, with a frown on her downy forehead, and a very childish pout on her ripe red mouth.

"I will go up and ask her myself," Floss Vigors said, having felt the pulse of public opinion. "She may not care to do it, you know."

"It's not likely a person in her position would venture to refuse," Marion Lisle remarked to Addie Hepburn.

"Oh, Miss Kent is very much her own mistress here. She was a great friend of Manie Wilde's," Addie returned. "I do hope she'll do it, however; she won't like to refuse Flossie. It would be a thousand pities if we had to throw the whole thing up now, when we have got so interested in it."

"May I come with you, Lady Vigors?" Bertie asked prettily.

Floss was a little surprised at the request; but she acceded to it at once, thinking she must have made a mistake.

"Miss Kent is a friend of yours, I believe?" she said, as they left the drawing room together.

"Oh, yes—that is, I knew her long ago! Mamma was very kind to her when he lived near us in the country," Bertie answered, flushing a little.

Lady Vigors asked no more questions, nor did she address her visitor again for the whole length of the hall and staircase. Bertie felt that somehow or other she had not found favor in the eyes of her hostess; but the fact troubled her very little; no doubt they were all jealous of her. She was younger and prettier than any of them, and only that morning Sir George had put his velvet hunting-cap on her head and called on all the men in the hall to admire her, and said she looked like a saucy boy or a pretty horse-breaker—she forgot which.

Maud was standing in the window, looking out at the dreary winter landscape, her hands clasped idly behind her back, when Lady Vigors came into the room, followed by her visitor. She had just been writing to her little sisters—a long letter, which was to reach them on Christmas Eve. She was thinking of the previous Christmas, of the merry scene in the school room of Fief Oaks, of the pretty dresses, the happy, careless laughter, of Manie's scatter-brain music, of Adam's half-grave, half-smiling eyes. She turned at the sound of the opening door.

"Miss Kent, I have come to ask a favor of you."

"A favor!" Maud repeated, the shadow lifting from her face.

"We want you to read Portia's part in The Merchant of Venice. Do you think you could oblige us?"

"Now?" Maud asked, hesitating a little.

"Oh, no! This evening—after dinner. It is too late for any more reading at present; it is growing dusk, and we are going to have tea. But everybody fights shy of the part; it is rather a trying one, unless you know something about it."

"I have often read it before."

"Have you indeed? I should think it would suit you admirably. May we count on your assistance this evening then? I should take it as quite a favor to myself."

Maud could not refuse, since Lady Vigors chose to put it in that way.

"I have no objection," she said, smiling.

"Have you a Shakespeare here? You might like to look over your part."

"I have a Shakespeare, thanks. No, I do not think I shall want to refresh my memory; Portia was always one of my favorite characters."

"I am so glad. We have set our hearts on the reading; and indeed I am glad of anything to amuse my friends on such a dull afternoon. Mrs. Wilde will tell you all about the characters; I must go back to the drawing-room and set my sister Addie's heart at rest."

She left the room in her handsome dress of ruby silk and velvet—a very tall, fine-looking young woman, very young looking to be the mother of her little daughter Lulu, who would be ten years old in January.

"Shall you like to read, Maud?" Bertha asked, sinking upon her knees before the fire—the fires of Beaudesert were a specialty, both the dowager and her daughter-in-law having a pleasant weakness for great cheerful blazing fires—and looking up at Maud with her great passionless child's eyes. "I thought at first you wouldn't like it; but I thought it a pity not to suggest it. I knew you would do it so much better than any of them."

"How did you know?" Maud said, looking down at her.

"Why, don't you remember the readings at Wildewood and at Fief Oaks?" Bertie said, laughing.

"Do you remember them?" Maud asked, surprised.

"Of course I do. Haven't I been at them over and over again?"

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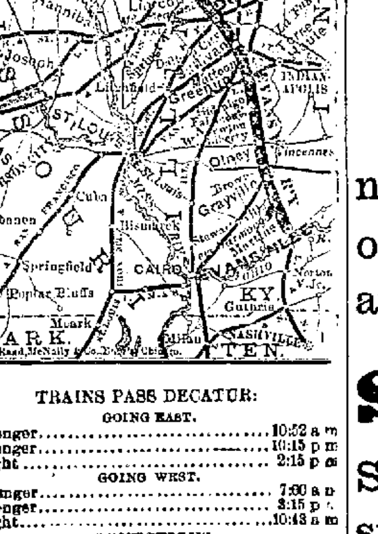

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" 5, St. Louis Mail	3:22 p m

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No. 51, Way Freight	5:05 a m
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" 43 Fast Line	4:55 a m
" 5, Fast Mail	3:45 p m
" 45, Pacific Express	3:00 p m

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